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Attorney Docket No. 26235

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

MEIR et al. Art Unit: 1651  
Serial No.: 10/500,988 Conf. No: 3129  
Filed: July 7, 2004 Examiner: SAUCIER, Sandra E.  
For: **METHODS AND DEVICE FOR FREEZING AND THAWING BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES**

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response to Official Action, twenty-four (24) pages;
- (3) Exhibit A – Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.132, six (6) pages;
- (4) Exhibit B – Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.132, four (4) pages;
- (5) Petition for a three-month Extension of Time, one (1) page; and
- (6) Check No. 7314 in the amount of \$1110.00 for Extension of Time fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**  
*and*  
**Fee Payment Authorization Under 37 CFR § 1.17**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

- One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated (\$.00 fee)
- Two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated (\$.00 fee)
- Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated May 6, 2008 (\$1110.00 fee)
- A check including the above-indicated amount is enclosed. If extensions of time under 37 CFR §1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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